

Disability Resource Manual

For

**California
AmeriCorps
Programs**

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This resource manual presents a range of organizations designed to support California AmeriCorps programs in their efforts towards full inclusion of members and staff with disabilities. Achieving full inclusion requires an understanding of disability issues, awareness of attitudinal and other barriers, and knowledge of our rights and responsibilities under the Americans with Disabilities Act.

The organizations listed herein can be helpful by; mailing out information regarding AmeriCorps to their members; locating local people to assist in removing architectural barriers; assisting in co-presenting one of the hour-long training modules on the ADA or disability awareness in AmeriCorps Disability Specialist Training Manual (especially Module 7); and by participating in a partnership with an AmeriCorps program.

The layout of this resource manual is created to make it easy to use throughout California, by listing the resources geographically. Many of the resources contained here have multiple offices, or they are a national organization with local chapters. Therefore, they may appear more than once. To reach an organization, first look under your geographic area, i.e., Los Angeles. If the type of organization does not appear there, you may want to look to the surrounding area, i.e., San Diego or Central Valley, before going to the Statewide listings. Some organizations that may be of assistance to you only have one location which is not within California. In those cases, they have been listed under a National listing.

If you have questions about any of the organizations presented in this manual, please contact: Eddie Aguero at (916) 327-1081

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NORTHERN CALIFORNIA

Client Assistance Program

**2000 Evergreen Street
Sacramento, CA 95815
916-263-7367 (Voice)
800-952-5544
800-598-3273 (TDD)**

Client Assistance Program Legal Services of Northern CA

**517 12th Street
Sacramento, CA 95814
800-444-6188 (V)
916-551-2170
888-551-6188 (TDD)
916-551-2195 (Fax)**

The Client Assistance Program (CAP) is mandated by the Federal Rehabilitation Act. CAP provides free services to consumers and applicants of projects, programs, and facilities funded under the Rehabilitation Act. CAP's services involve the analysis of issues a consumer/applicant may have and provision of advocacy services regarding Rehabilitation Act funded services.

Legal services will mediate solutions to problems of applicants and clients of programs. Offers advice and assistance to governmental agencies and service providers.

Windmills

**P.O. Box 826880 MIC 41
Sacramento, CA 94280-000
916-654-8055
916-654-9820 (TDD)
916-654-9821 (Fax)**

Provides sensitivity training kits designed to help examine attitudes, fears, and biases towards people with disabilities in the workplace.

California Department of Fair Employment and Housing

**2014 T Street, Suite 210
Sacramento, CA 95814
916-227-2892 (voice)
916- 227-2870 (Fax)**

Administers state laws prohibiting employment discrimination on the basis of disability.

The American Institute of Architects/California Council
Sacramento, CA
916-448-9082

Teaches creative, cost-effective methods of modifying job-sites to accommodate people with disabilities, and makes referrals to local architects experienced in barrier-free design. Also publishes information on barrier-free design and worksheet accommodations and has local chapters.

Department of Rehabilitation
2000 Evergreen Street
Sacramento, CA 95815
916-263-8791

State and local vocational rehabilitation agencies provide comprehensive services of rehabilitation, training, and job-relate assistance to people with disabilities, and assist employers in recruiting, training, placing, accommodating. Additionally, they provide workplace accessibility surveys, and job analyses matching functional abilities and limitations of individuals with disabilities to needed accommodations. They may fund all or partial costs of needed training, assistive technology, or other accommodations for eligible individuals.

California Foundation for Independent Living Centers (CFILC)
660 "J" Street, Suite 270
Sacramento, CA 95814
916-325-1690 (voice)
916-325-1699 (fax)

Advocacy network of the ILCs throughout the state. Will distribute flyers to their network.

Employment Development Department
P.O. Box 826880, MIC 83
Sacramento, CA 94280-0001
916 654-8210 (Voice)
916 657-5294 (Fax)

State agency offering a variety of services under the Job Service, Unemployment Insurance and Disability Insurance programs. Good agency to post position openings.

Protection and Advocacy, Inc.

100 Howe Avenue, Suite 185N (Admin. Unit)

100 Howe Avenue, Suite 235N (Legal Unit)

Sacramento, CA 95825

916-488-9950 Legal Unit

800-776-5746

916-488-9955 Admin. Unit

916-488-2635

Offers technical assistance, information, and referral on the ADA and other disability law.

Rehabilitation Services of Northern California

2285 Morello Avenue

Pleasant Hill, CA 94523

Cathi Mowers-Moore, District Administrator

925-602-3953

Service agency that will do mailings to current clients.

Learning Disabilities Association of California

P. O. Box 276645

Sacramento, CA 95827

530/672-3145

A non-profit volunteer organization of parents, professionals, and adults with learning disabilities. A good resource for information on learning disabilities and to conduct outreach to this specific group. Local chapters are listed under their geographic areas.

EASTER SEALS LOCATIONS

Citrus Heights - 8089 Madison Avenue

Citrus Heights, CA 95610

916-962-2766

916-485-2653

Eureka - 3289 Edgewood Road

P.O. Box 109

Eureka, CA 95502-0109

707-445-8841

707-453-3106

**Lakeport - 501 B. Main Street
Lakeport, CA 95453
707-263-3949
707-263-3985**

**Superior - Yuba City Center
144 Gibbison Road
Yuba City, CA 95992
916-673-4585 916-673-4328
Chico - 1074 East Avenue
Suite A-1
Chico, CA 95973**

Easter Seals locations offers a full range of therapies and supportive services for children, adults and seniors with disabilities, their care givers and families. They are a good source for information on specific disabilities and assistive devices.

BAY AREA

Self Help for Hard of Hearing People, Inc. (SHHH)

**935 Diamond Street
San Francisco, CA 94114
415 824-0188**

Offers information and referral on assistive technology and job accommodations for hearing impaired individuals. Makes referrals to job placement services. Provides employment-related resources and publications on telephone strategies, sensitizing staff, and communicating effectively. Offers “accessibility stickers” denoting communication accessibility. Has local chapters.

California Department of Fair Employment and Housing

**1515 Clay Street, #701
Oakland, CA 94612-2512
510-622-2941**

California Department of Fair Employment and Housing

**455 Golden Gate Avenue, #7600
San Francisco, CA 94102
415-703-4175**

California Department of Fair Employment and Housing

**111 N. Market Street, #810
San Jose, CA 95113-1102
408-277-1277**

Administers state laws prohibiting employment discrimination on the basis of disability.

Client Assistance Program Center for Independent Living

**2539 Telegraph Avenue
Berkeley, CA 94704
800-225-1341 (V/TDD)
510-841-4776 (V)
510-848-3101 (TDD)
510-841-6168 (Fax)**

Client Assistance Program Center for Independence of the Disabled
875 O'Neill Avenue
Belmont, CA 94002
800-427-1088 (V)
650-595-0783
650-595-0743 (TDD)
650-595-0261 (Fax)

CAP is an advocacy program for people with disabilities. CAP helps people who are seeking services from the Department of Rehabilitation, Blindness and Visual Services, Centers for Independent Living and other programs funded under federal law.

Protection and Advocacy
449 15th Street, Suite 401
Oakland, CA 94612
510-839-0811
510-839-5780

Offers technical assistance, information, and referral on the ADA and other disability law.

National Association for Visually Handicapped
San Francisco
3201 Balboa Street
San Francisco, CA 94121
415-221-3201 (voice)
415-221-8754 (fax)

Works with people worldwide dealing with the difficulties of vision impairment, including adaptive aids and resources.

The American Institute of Architects/Redwood Empire
Santa Rosa, CA
707-576-7799

The American Institute of Architects/East Bay
Oakland, CA
510-464-3600

**The American Institute of Architects/San Mateo County
San Mateo, CA
650-348-5133**

**The American Institute of Architects/San Francisco
San Francisco, CA
(415) 362-4397**

**The American Institute of Architects/Santa Clara Valley
San Jose, CA
408-298-0611**

Teaches creative, cost-effective methods of modifying job-sites to accommodate people with disabilities, and makes referrals to local architects experienced in barrier-free design. Also publishes information on barrier-free design and worksite accommodations.

INDEPENDENT LIVING CENTERS

**ILR of Contra Costa County
Ms. JoAnne Best, Director
3811 Alhambra Avenue
Martinez, CA 94553
510-229-9200**

**Independent Living Services of Northern California
Mr. Rocky A. Burks, Director
555 Rio Lindo Avenue, Suite B
Chico, CA 95926
(916) 893-8527**

**Center for Independent Living
Ms. Jan Garret, Executive Director
2539 Telegraph Avenue
Berkeley, CA 94704
510-841-4776**

**Resources for Ind. Living
Ms. Frances Gracechild, Executive Director
1211 H Street, #B
Sacramento, CA 95814
916-446-3074**

Community Resources for Independence
Mr. Michael Humphrey, Director
2999 Cleveland Avenue #D
Santa Rosa, CA 95403
707-528-2745

Center for Independence of the Disabled
Mr. Kent Mickelson, Director
875 O'Neill Avenue
Belmont, CA 94002
415-595-0783

Placer Independent Resource Services
Ms. Susan Miller, Director
11768 Atwood Road, Suite 29
Auburn, CA 95603
916-885-6100

Marin CIL
Mr. Bob Roberts, Director
710 Fourth Street
San Rafael, CA 94901
415-459-6245

F.R.E.E.D.
Mr. Tony Sauer, Executive Director
154 Hughes Road, Suite 1
Grass Valley CA 95945
916-272-1732

Independent Living Resource Center
Ms. Kathy Uhl, Director
70 Tenth Street
San Francisco, CA 94103
415-863-0581

Many ILCs maintain mailing lists that they will let other agencies use, or will do mailings with reimbursements. ILCs are also good organizations to partnership with and to use for presentations.

Rubicon Programs, Inc.
2500 Bissell Avenue
Richmond, CA 94804
510-231-3989

Large non-profit in Bay Area. Works with clients teaching independent living/job skills. Will post announcements. Often willing to hold informational meetings for their clients.

Spina Bifida Association of the Bay Area
P.O. Box 6015
Moraga, CA 94570
925-210-6006

Advocacy agency. Will do mailings and publishes a quarterly newsletter.

Learning Disabilities Association of California

East Bay
P. O. Box 5513
Berkeley, CA 94705
510-433-7934

San Mateo
P. O. Box 748
San Mateo, CA 94401
650-341-6767

Santa Clara Valley
1021 Suffolk Way
Los Altos, CA 94024
650-493-8531

Santa Cruz
P. O. Box 2396
Santa Cruz, CA 95063
408-427-2753

Local chapter(s) of this non-profit volunteer organization of parents, professionals, and adults with learning disabilities. A good resource for information on learning disabilities and to conduct outreach to this specific group.

The ARC
575 Independent Road
Oakland, CA 94621
510-639-4680

Service agency. Often will do mailings with reimbursement.

Tool Works
1119 Market Street, Suite 300
San Francisco, CA 94103
415-621-8665

A job training and placement program. Will do mailings of flyers.

Vocational Resource Centers
870 Market Street, Suite 723
San Francisco, CA 94102
415-392-6446 (voice)
415-392-4436 (fax)

Service agency. Often will do mailings with reimbursements.

Jewish Vocational Services
77 Geary Street
San Francisco, CA 94108
415-782-6230

Will often mail out materials with reimbursement.

Jobs for the Homeless Consortium
1722 Broadway
Oakland, CA 94612
510-251-6241

Works with a high percentage of individuals with disabilities.

World Institute on Disability
510 16th Street, Suite 100
Oakland, CA 94612
510-763-4100 (Voice)
510-208-9493 (TDD)

A nonprofit international public policy center dedicated to the promotion of independence and full inclusion in society of people with disabilities. WID's innovative personnel policies are national models of affordable reasonable accommodation for people with disabilities, including personal assistance, adaptive technology, flexible work scheduling and telecommuting options.

Partners in Rehabilitation
910 Irwing
San Rafael, CA
415-458-8626

Service agency for individuals with disabilities.

EASTER SEALS LOCATIONS

Heritage Program- Noll School
39600 Sundale Drive
Fremont, CA 94538
510-656-7742
510-656-7891

Bay Area - 2757 Telegraph Avenue
Oakland, CA
510-835-2131

Easter Seals offers a full range of therapies and supportive services for children, adults and seniors with disabilities, their care givers and families. They are a good source for information on specific disabilities and assistive devices.

California Council for the Blind
836 Resota Street
Hayward, CA 94545-2120
510-537-7877

Clearinghouse of information and materials for and regarding individuals with blindness. Strong advocacy group. Maintains a weekly newsletter. Good agency to post openings.

CENTRAL VALLEY

**The American Institute of Architects
Monterey, CA
408-372-6527**

**The American Institute of Architects
Central Valley
Sacramento, CA
916-444-3658**

**American Institute of Architects
San Joaquin
Fresno, CA
559-266-0389**

Teaches creative, cost-effective methods of modifying job-sites to accommodate people with disabilities, and makes referrals to local architects experienced in barrier-free design. Also publishes information on barrier-free design and worksite accommodations.

**CA Department of Fair Employment and Housing
1900 Mariposa Mall, #130
Fresno, CA 93721
209-445-5374**

Administers state laws prohibiting employment discrimination on the basis of disability.

**Client Assistance Program Center for Independent Living
3475 W. Shaw Avenue
Suite 101
Fresno, CA 93711
800-244-2274 (V)
209-276-6777
209-276-6779 (TDD)
209-276-6778 (Fax)**

CAP is an advocacy program for people with disabilities. CAP helps people who are seeking services from the Department of Rehabilitation, Blindness and Visual Services Centers for Independent Living and other programs funded under federal law.

**CA Department of Fair Employment and Housing
Mary Bonilla
1001 Tower Way, #250
Bakersfield, CA 93309-1586
805-395-2729**

**CA Department of Fair Employment and Housing
Steve White
1732 Palma Drive, #200
Ventura, CA 93003-6081
805-654-4514**

Administers state laws prohibiting employment discrimination on the basis of disability.

INDEPENDENT LIVING CENTERS

**The Mother Lode ILC
83 South Stewart, Suite 305
Sonora, CA 95370
209-532-0963**

**Modesto Independent Living Center
221 McHenry Avenue
Modesto, CA 95354
209-521-7260**

(Mr. Dwight Bateman is the Executive Director of both the above-listed ILCs)

**CIL in Fresno
Ms. Janet Carmichael
Executive Director
3475 West Shaw Avenue
Suite 101
Fresno, CA 93711
209-276-6777**

**San Joaquin ILC
Ms. Terease Garner, Director
4505 Precissi Lane, Suite A
Stockton, CA 95207
209-477-8143**

**Central Coast CIL
Ms. Elsa Quezada
Executive Director
234 Capitol Street, Suite A
Salinas, CA 93901
408-757-2968**

Many ILCs maintain mailing lists that they will let other agencies use, or will do mailings with reimbursements. ILCs are also good organizations to partnership with and to use for presentations.

Learning Disabilities Association of California

**Kern County
P. O. Box 9191
Bakersfield, CA 93309
805/834-0664**

**Ventura
P. O Box 1923
Ventura, CA 93002
805/492-0788**

**Fresno and Santa Barbara/San Luis Obispo
Call LDA/CA State Office
916/725-7881**

Local chapters of this non-profit volunteer organization of parents, professionals, and adults with learning disabilities. A good resource for information on learning disabilities and to conduct outreach to this specific group.

EASTER SEALS LOCATIONS

**Camp Harmon - 16403 Hwy. 9
Boulder Creek
Camp Harmon, CA 95006
831-338-3383
831-338-0200**

**Aptos - 9010 Soquel Drive
Suite 1
C33A Aptos, CA 95003
831-338-3383
831-338-0200**

**Fresno - 1685 E. Street
Suite 101
Central CA-Fresno, CA 93706
209-264-7113
209-264-8305**

**Lancaster After School Program
42307 10th Street
Lancaster, CA 93534
805-729-3218
805-293-318**

**Lancaster Office - 42307 10th Street West
Lancaster, CA 93534
805-723-3414
805-293-318**

**Tri Counties
977 Pismo Street
San Luis Obispo, CA 93401
805-543-4122
805-543-8951**

**Tri-Counties
351 Hitchcock Way
Suite B130
Santa Barbara, CA 93105-4016
805-687-1699 (Voice & Fax)**

**Valencia After School Program
17747 West Sierra Hwy., Suite 1
Santa Clarita, CA 91351
805-294-1188
805-982-821**

**Bethlehem After-school Programs
17747 West Sierra Hwy.
Santa Clarita, CA 91351
805-250-1729
805-982-821**

**Tri-Counties - 10730 Henderson Road
Ventura, CA 93004
805-647-1141
805-647-1148
Santa Clarita -17747 West
Sierra Hwy.
Santa Clarita, CA 91351
805-298-5599
805-982-521**

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**The American Institute of Architects
Santa Barbara, CA
805-965-6307**

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GREATER LOS ANGELES

**CA Department of Fair Employment and Housing
611 W. 6th Street, Suite 1500
Los Angeles, CA 90017-3116
213-439-6799**

**CA Department of Fair Employment and Housing
1845 S. Business Center, Dr. #127
San Bernardino, CA 92408-3426
919-383-4373**

**CA Department of Fair Employment and Housing
28 Civic Center Plaza, #538
Santa Ana, CA 92701-4010
914- 558-4266**

Administers state laws prohibiting employment discrimination on the basis of disability.

**Client Assistance Program Independent Living Center of Southern California
14402 Haynes Street, Suite 103
Van Nuys, CA 91401
800-524-5272 (V)
818-785-6934
818-785-7097 (TDD)
818-785-0330 (Fax)**

**Client Assistance Program Westside Center for Independent Living
12901 Venice Boulevard
Los Angeles, CA 90066
310-390-3611 (V)
310-398-9204 (TDD)**

**Client Assistance Program Dayle McIntosh Center for the Disabled
150 West Cerritos, Bldg. 4
Anaheim, CA 92805
800-924-8362 (V/TDD)
714-772-8297 (V)
714-772-8366 (V/TDD)**

Client Assistance Program Easter Seal Society of the Inland Counties
241 East Ninth Street
San Bernardino, CA 92410
800-922-7325 (V)
909-888-4125 ((V/TDD))

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Protection and Advocacy
3580 Wilshire Blvd., Suite 902
Los Angeles, CA 90010
213-427-8747
213-427-8767

Offers technical assistance, information, and referral on the ADA and other disability law.

INDEPENDENT LIVING CENTERS

Independent Living Resource Center, Inc.
Ms. Josephine Black, Director
423 W. Victoria
Santa Barbara, CA 93101
805-963-0595

Community Access Center
Ms. Margaret Drda
Executive Director
7223 Magnolia Avenue
Riverside, CA 92504
909-682-0230

Community Rehab Services-ILC
Ms. Vivian Regalado-Gaffney
Executive Director
4716 Cesar Chavez, Bldg. B
Los Angeles, CA 90022
213-266-0453

**ILC of Southern California
14354 Haynes
Van Nuys, CA 91401
818-988-9525**

**ILC of Southern California
356-B East Avenue, Suite 4
Lancaster, CA 93535
805-945-6602**

**ILC of Southern California
14402 Haynes Street, Suite 103
Van Nuys, CA 91401
818-785-6934**

(Ms. Vescovo is the Executive Director of the three above-listed ILCs and satellite offices)

**ILC of Kern County
Ms. Janet Wheeler, Director
1927 Eye Street
Bakersfield, CA 93301
805-325-1063**

**Rolling Start, Inc.
Mr. Don Vigil
Executive Director
570 West Fourth St., Suite 103
San Bernadino, CA 92401
909-884-2129**

Many ILCs maintain mailing lists that they will let other agencies use, or will do mailings with reimbursements. ILCs are also good organizations to partnership with and to use for presentations.

**National Spinal Cord Injury Association
California Chapter at Los Angeles
311 N. Robertson Blvd.
Suite 823
Beverly Hill, CA 90211
310-553-4929
310-553-4833**

The Association publishes national and local resource directories relevant to the needs of persons with spinal cord injuries; and informational booklets. It also publishes a quarterly newsletter: Spinal Cord Injury Life.

Learning Disabilities Association of California

**Los Angeles
P. O. Box 1067
Sierra Madre, CA 91024
626/355-0240**

**Pomona Valley
P. O. Box 1101
Pomona, CA 91769
909/626-2882**

**Orange County
P. O. Box 25772
Santa Ana, CA 92799
714/547-4206
714/646-0133**

**Riverside
P. O. Box 55404
Riverside, CA 92517
909/687-7122**

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EASTER SEALS LOCATIONS

**1661 North Raymond Avenue
Suite 100
Anaheim, CA 92801
714-768-3787**

**Fullerton After School Program
714-526-1984**

**Southern CA
714-441-3070**

**Cerritos-11050 Artesia, Unit D
Cerritos, CA
562-402-8220**

**Culver City-6133 Bristol Pkwy.
Suite 200
Culver City, CA 90230
310-641-4884**

**Collegeview-320 Arden Avenue
Suite 120
Glendale, CA 91203
818-548-4677**

**Glendale Office - P.O. Box 120
Glendale, CA 91203
818-551-0128**

**Hermosa Beach-1901 Pacific Coast Hwy.
Hermosa Beach, CA 90254
310-376-3445
Hollywood-6515 Sunset Blvd.
4th Floor
Los Angeles, CA 90028
213-957-5344**

**Senior Program - 1250 E. Helm Avenue
Orange, CA 92665
714-921-0169**

**Pasadena-101 S. Madison Avenue, Unit A
Pasadena, CA 91101
818-793-7700**

**Inland Counties - 241 E. Ninth Street
San Bernadino, CA 92410
909-888-4125**

**San Pedro Office - 732 West 9th Street, Suite 102, 103
San Pedro, CA 90731
310-514-4960**

**Corporate Office - 1801 East Edinger Avenue, Suite 190
Santa Ana, CA 92705
714-834-1111**

**Torrance Office - 3625 Del Amo Boulevard, Suite 120
Torrance, CA 90503
310-542-2148**

**Heideman After School
Program -1661 N. Raymond Avenue, Suite 100
Tustin, CA 92680
714-568-5351**

**Van Nuys - 16946 Sherman Way
Suite 100
Van Nuys, A 91406
818-996-6302**

**Circle of Friends Program
1520 West Covina, Suite 103
West Covina, CA 91790
213-299-4589
626-856-1601
Whittier-13601 Whittier Pl.
Suite 100
Whittier, CA 90605
562-698-8229**

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The American Institute of Architects/Pasadena
Pasadena at Foothill
Pasadena, CA
626-796-7601
The American Institute of Architects/San Fernando Valley
Encino, CA
818-907-7151

The American Institute of Architects/South Bay
Long Beach, CA
562-989-1399

The American Institute of Architects/Inland California
Redland, CA
909-799-7213

The American Institute of Architects/Orange County
Newport Beach, CA
949-645-6742

The American Institute of Architects/Los Angeles
Los Angeles, CA
310-785-1809

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Ability Magazine
1001 West 17th Street
Costa Mesa, CA 92627
949-854-8700 (Voice/TDD)
949-548-5966 (Fax)
website: <http://www.abilitymagazine.com/index.htm>

ABILITY Magazine is the first publication focusing on disabilities to crossover into mainstream America. They provide information on New Technologies, the "Americans with Disability Act", Travel and Leisure, Employment Opportunities for People with Disabilities, Human interest Stories, National and Local Resource Centers and more. ABILITY also maintains a current web page with links to pages of interests for individuals with disabilities. This is a good magazine/website to contact about your AmeriCorps program.

GREATER SAN DIEGO

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San Diego, CA
619-232-0109**

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San Diego, CA 92103
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800-959-9395 (TDD)
619-293-3500 (V)
619-293-7757 (TDD)
619-293-3508 (Fax)**

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P. O. Box 421111
San Diego, CA 92142
619/467-9158**

Local chapters of this non-profit volunteer organization of parents, professionals, and adults with learning disabilities. A good resource for information on learning disabilities and to conduct outreach to this specific group.

EASTER SEALS LOCATIONS

**Easter Seals Southern California (National City Office)
101 East 30th Street, Unit C
National City, CA 91950
619-336-0390**

**Easter Seals Southern California (San Marcos Office)
365 South Rancho Santa Fe Road, Suite 104
San Marcos, CA 92069
760-471-3737**

Easter Seals locations offers a full range of therapies and supportive services for children, adults and seniors with disabilities, their care givers and families. They are a good source for information on specific disabilities and assistive devices.

**National Spinal Cord Injury Association
San Diego County Chapter
6645 Alvarado Road
San Diego, CA 92120
619-229-7001**

The Association publishes national and local resource directories relevant to the needs of persons with spinal cord injuries; and informational booklets. It also publishes a quarterly newsletter: Spinal Cord Injury Life.

ORGANIZATION OF UNITED CEREBRAL PALSY

For 50 years, United Cerebral Palsy (UCP) has been committed to change and progress for persons with disabilities. The national organization and its nationwide network of 150 affiliates strive to ensure the inclusion of persons with disabilities in every facet of society - from the web to the workplace, from the classroom to the community. As the second largest health charity in America, United Cerebral Palsy's mission is to advance the independence, productivity and full citizenship of people with cerebral palsy and other disabilities, through their commitment to the principles of independence, inclusion and self-determination.

UCP affiliates serve more than 30,000 children and adults with disabilities and their families every day through programs such as therapy, assistive technology training, early intervention programs, individual and family support, social and recreation programs, community living, state and local referrals, employment assistance and advocacy. Each affiliate offers a range of services tailored to its community's needs.

UCP is the leading source of information on cerebral palsy and is a pivotal advocate for the rights of persons with any disability. In fact, 65% of people served by UCP have disabilities other than cerebral palsy.

Below you will find the local offices of UCP. Please contact this large disability organization to partnership with your AmeriCorps program or for outreach in your area.

CALIFORNIA UCP AFFILIATES

UCP of the Golden Gate
1970 Broadway, Suite 600
Oakland, CA 94612
510- 832-7430

UCP of Central California
4224 N. Cedar Avenue
Fresno, CA 93726-3700
559-221-8272
E-mail: UCPCC@aol.com
Website: www.ucpcc.org

UCP of Los Angeles & Ventura Counties
7630 Gloria Avenue
Van Nuys, CA 91406
818-782-2211
E-mail: ucpla@aol.com

UCP of San Joaquin, Calaveras & Amador Counties
333 West Benjamin Holt Drive, Suite 1
Stockton, CA 95207
209-956-0290
E-mail: jschumacher@ucpsj.org

UCP of San Luis Obispo
1160 Marsh Street, Suite 102
San Luis Obispo, CA 93401
805-543-2039
E-mail: shafmt@aol.com
Website: www.ucp-slo.org

UCP of Santa Barbara County
423 West Victoria Street
Santa Barbara, CA 93101
805-966-1112

UCP of the Inland Empire
71321 Highway 111, Suite 4
Rancho Mirage, CA 92270
760-340-2282

UCP of the North Bay
P.O. Box 7788
Santa Rosa, CA 95407-0788
707-566-8647

UCPA of Greater Sacramento
191 Lathrop Way, Suite N
Sacramento, CA 95815
916- 565-7700
E-mail: UCPSacto@aol.com
Website: www.ucpsacto.org

UCPA of Orange County
3010 West Harvard Street
Santa Ana, CA 92704
714- 557-1291
E-mail: Jminer@ucpaoc.org
Website: www.ucpaoc.org

UCPA of San Diego County
3821 Calle Fortunado Street, Suite C
San Diego, CA 92123
619-571-7803
E-mail: ucpsd@packbell.net
Website: www.san.rr.com/ucpsd

UCPA of Santa Clara & San Mateo Counties, Inc.
480 San Antonio Road,
Suite 215
Mountain View, CA 94040-1218
650-917-6900
E-mail: jane@ucpcsm.org
Website: www.ucpscsm.org

UCPA of Stanislaus County, Inc.
950 10th Street, #8
Modesto, CA 95354
209-577-2122
E-mail: dl@ceti.csustan.edu

NATIONWIDE ORGANIZATIONS

American Cancer Society - National Headquarters

1599 Clifton Road, NE

Atlanta, GA 30329

404-320-3333 (Voice)

800-227-2345

404-982-3677 (Fax)

United Cerebral Palsy Assoc.

160 North Wacker Drive

Chicago, IL 60606

312-368-0380 (Voice/TDD)

312-368-0018 (Fax)

United Parkinson Foundation

833 West Washington Blvd.

Chicago, IL 60607

312-733-1893

312-733-1896 (Fax)

National Federation of the Blind

1800 Johnson Street

Baltimore, MD 21230

410-659-9314

410-685-5653 (Fax)

National Spinal Cord Injury Association

8300 Colesville Rd., Suite 551

Silver Spring, MD 20910

301-588-6959

800-962-9629

301-588-9414 (Fax)

website: www.spinalcord.org

Registry of Interpreters for the Deaf

8630 Fenton Street, Suite 324

Silver Spring, MD 20910-3803

301-608-0508

American Speech-Language-Hearing Association
10801 Rockville Pike
Rockville, MD 20852
301-897-5700
800-638-8255 (voice)
301-897-0157 (TDD)
301-897-7355 (Fax)

Epilepsy Foundation
4351 Garden City Drive
Landover, MD 20785
301-577-2684
301-577-4941

National Diabetes Information Clearinghouse
Box NDIC, 1 Information Way
Bethesda, MD 20892
301-654-3327
301-907-8906 (Fax)
website: www.niddk.nih.gov

Goodwill Industries of America, Inc.
9200 Wisconsin Avenue
Bethesda, MD 20814-3896
301-530-6500 (Voice)
301-530-0836 (TDD)
301-530-1516 (Fax)

Immune Deficiency Foundation
25 West Chesapeake Avenue
Suite 206
Towson, MD 21204
410-321-6647
800-296-4433
410-321-9165 (Fax)

Mainstream, Inc.
Takoma Business Center
6930 Carroll Avenue, Suite 240
Takoma Park, MD 20912
301-891-8777 (Voice/TDD)
301-891-8778 (Fax)

National Association of the Deaf
814 Thayer Avenue
Silver Spring, MD 20910
301-587-1788 (Voice)
301-587-1789 (TDD)
301-587-1791 (Fax)

Adaptive Environments
374 Congress St., Suite 301
Boston, MA 02210
617-695-1225 (Voice/TDD)
800-893-1225 (ADA & Public Schools only)
617-482-8099

The Caption Center
125 Western Avenue
Boston, MA 02134
617-492-9225 (Voice/TDD)
617-562-0590 (Fax)

Scleroderma Foundation
89 Newbury St., Suite 201
Danvers, MA 01923
978-750-4499 (Voice)
800-722-HOPE
978-750-9902 (Fax)

National Braille Press
88 St. Stephen Street
Boston, MA 02115
617-266-6120 (Voice)
800-548-7323
617-437-0456 (fax)
website: www.nbp.org

National Association for Visually Handicapped- New York
22 West 21st Street
New York, NY 10010
212-889-3141 (Voice)
212-727-2931 (Fax)

American Foundation for the Blind
11 Pennsylvania Plaza
Suite 300
New York, NY 10001
212-502-7600 (Voice)
800-232-5463
212-502-7662 (TDD)
212-502-7777 (Fax)

American Civil Liberties Union Aids Project
125 Broad St., 18th Floor
New York, NY 10004-2400
212-549-2627 (Voice)
212-549-2650 (Fax)

National Association for Visually Handicapped
22 West 21st Street
New York, NY 10010
212-889-3141
212-727-2931
website: <http://www.navh.org>

National Center for Learning
381 Park Avenue, South 1401
New York, NY 10016
212-545-7510
888-575-7373
212-545-9665 (Fax)

National Center for Stuttering
200 East 33rd Street
New York, NY 10016
800-221-2483
212-683-1372 (Fax)

National Council on Alcoholism and Drug Dependence (NCADD)
12 West 21st Street, 7th Floor
New York, NY 10010
800-622-2255 (Voice)
800-475-4673

American Lung Association
1740 Broadway
New York, NY 10019
800-LUNG-USA
212-315-8700
212-465-5642 (Fax)

Learning Disability Association of America
4156 Library Road
Pittsburgh, PA 15239
412-341-1515
888-300-6710

Stuttering Foundation of America
3100 Walnut Grove, Suite 603
Memphis, TN 38111
800-992-9392 (Voice)
202-363-3199
901-452-3931 (Fax)

The Association for Retarded Citizens of the United States (ARC)
500 East Border St., S-300
Arlington, TX 76010
817-261-6003 (Voice)
800-433-5255
817-277-0553 (TDD)
817-277-3491 (Fax)

National Brain Injury Association
105 North Alfred Street
Alexandria, VA 22314
703-236-6001

National Captioning Institute
1900 Gallows Road, Suite 3000
Vienna, VA 22182
703-917-7600 (Voice/TDD)
703-917-9878 (Fax)

The Association for Persons in Supported Employment
1627 Monument Avenue
Room 301
Richmond, VA 23220
804-278-9187 (Voice)
804-278-9377 (Fax)

American Diabetes Association
1660 Duke Street
Alexandria, VA 22314
703-549-1500
703-836-2464 (Fax)

National Mental Health Association
1021 Prince Street
Alexandria, VA
703-684-7722
703-684-5968 (Fax)

Association for Education and Rehabilitation of the Blind
4600 Duke Street, Suite 430
P.O. Box 22397 (mailing address)
Alexandria, VA 22304
703-823-9690
703-823-9695 (Fax)

Architectural and Transportation Barriers Compliance Board (ATTCB)
1331 F. Street, NW, Suite 1000
Washington, DC 20004-1111
202/272-5434
website: <http://www.access-board.gov/>

ATTCB is responsible for the architectural designs for accessibility. They can answer any questions regarding architectural access.

American Council of the Blind
1155 15th St., NW, Suite 720
Washington, DC 20005
202-467-5081 (Voice)
800-424-8666

Asthma and Allergy Foundation of America
1125 Fifteenth Street, NW
Suite 502
Washington, D.C. 20005
202-466-7643 (Voice)
800-7ASTHMA
202-466-8940 (Fax)

Mental Health Law Project
1101 15th Street, NW, Suite 1212
Washington, DC 20005
202-467-5730 (Voice)
200-959-5730
202-223-0409 (Fax)

National Organization on Disability
910 16th St., NW, Room 600
Washington, D.C. 20006
202-293-5960 (Voice)
202-293-7999 (Fax)

National Information Center on Deafness @ Gallaudet University
Gallaudet University
800 Florida Avenue, NE
Washington, DC 20002-3695
202-651-5054

United Cerebral Palsy Association
1660 L. Street, NW, Suite 700
Washington, DC 20036
202-776-0406 (Voice/TDD)
800-872-5827
202-776-0414 (Fax)

Job Accommodation Network
918 Chestnut Ridge Road
Suite 1
Morgantown, WV 26506
304-293-5407
304-293-7186 (local)
800-526-7234
800-526-2262 (Canada)
email: Jan@Jan.icdi.wvu.edu
website: <http://Janweb.icdi.wvu.edu/>

Provides information and advice on employment of people with disabilities. Conducts training conferences on ADA, and an annual meeting which offers training opportunities on many aspects of employing people with disabilities on custom job and workaday accommodations. Performs individualized searches for workplace accommodation, based on the job's functional requirements, the functional limitations of the individual, environmental factors, and other pertinent information. Assists employers and individuals with disabilities in the use of a variety of public programs dealing with disability, including the Job Training Partnership Act, Project with Industry, Supported Employment, Targeted Jobs Tax Credit, and barrier removal incentives. ADA Work Line is staffed by people experienced in discussing the application of the ADA, especially as it relates to accommodation and accessibility issues.

TELEPHONE NUMBERS FOR DISABILITY-RELATED ORGANIZATIONS

- Abledata 800-346-2742 (database of assistive devices)
- AbleNet (Assistive Technology): 800-322-0956
- American Cancer Society: 800-ACS-2345
- Alliance for Technology Access 415-455-4575 (regional centers for assistive device info & resources)
- Attention Deficit Information Network: 617-455-9895
- Cancer Information and Counseling Line: 800-525-3777
- Cancer Information Service: 800-422-6237
- Chronic Fatigue and Immune Dysfunction Syndrome Association: 800-442-3437
- Epilepsy Foundation of America: 800-332-1000
- Job Accommodation Network 800-232-9675 (free consulting service for employers and disabled employees)
- Learning Disability Assn. of America: 412-341-1515; 412-344-0224 (fax) (4156 Library Rd., Pittsburgh, PA 15234)
- National Captioning Institute: 800-533-WORD (Voice/TDD)
- National Center for Learning Disabilities: 212-545-7510, 212-687-7211 (99 Park Avenue, New York, NY 10016) (3/96)
- National Information Center for Children & Youth with Disabilities: 800-999-5599; 202-416-0300 (PO Box 1492, Washington, DC 20013)
- National Institute on Deafness and Other Communication Disorders Clearinghouse: 800-241-1044; 800-241-1055 TTY
- National Literacy Hotline: 800-228-8813; 800-552-9097 TTY
- National Network of Learning Disabled Adults: 602-941-5112 (8/95)
- National Multiple Sclerosis Society: 24-Hour Information Line: 800-624-8236; 800-344-4867, 800-532-7667 (733 3rd Avenue, 6th FL, New York, NY 10017) (4/96)
- National Odd Shoe Exchange: 602-841-6691 (7102 N. 35th Avenue, Suite #2, Phoenix, AZ 85051) (3/96)
- National Parent Network on Disabilities: 703-684-6763 (1600 Prince St., #115, Alexandria, VA 22314 (10/95)
- Recording for the Blind: 800-221-4792 (NICHCY 11/93)
- Self Help for Hard of Hearing People: 301-657-2248, 301-657-2249 (TTY), 301-913-9413 (fax) (7910 Woodmont Avenue, Suite 1200, Bethesda, MD
- Short Stature Foundation Helpline: 800-24-DWARF
- Social Security Administration: 800-234-5772, 800-772-1213; 800-325-0778 (TDD); 800-392-0812 MO) (10/95) (<http://www.ssa.gov> (7/96)
- United Cerebral Palsy Association: 800-872-1827; 800-872-5827 (9/95)